Executive Proclamation

State of South Dakota
Office of the Governor

Whereas, Orville John Hengen and Lucille Susan Hoffmann exchanged their wedding vows on March 5, 1941, promising to share their lives and love together for the rest of their days; and,

Whereas, The newlywed couple of 75 years ago has been replaced by two devoted partners who have shared life's beauty and sorrow, and have grown to love one another more because of their common journey; and,

Whereas, Orville and Lucille made their home in White Lake, South Dakota, and later moved to Rapid City, South Dakota; and,

Whereas, Through their lifelong dedication to the values of caring and sharing, Orville and Lucille have helped make South Dakota a great place to live and work; and,

Whereas, Orville and Lucille will celebrate their 75th Anniversary with all the good wishes, fanfare, and celebration such a milestone warrants; and,

Whereas, It is altogether fitting and proper that the Governor of South Dakota recognizes and commemorates the memorable occasions in the lives of the state's outstanding citizens:

Now, Therefore, I, Dennis Daugaard, Governor of the state of South Dakota, do hereby proclaim March 5, 2016, as

ORVILLE AND LUCILLE HENGEN DAY

in South Dakota, and I join with the honored couple's family and friends in wishing them continued health and happiness in a state that stands prouder today because of their contributions and commitment.

In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and caused to be affixed the Great Seal of the State of South Dakota, in Pierre, the Capital City, this Sixteenth Day of February in the Year of Our Lord, Two Thousand and Sixteen.

Dennis Daugaard

Dennis Daugaard, Governor

Attest:

Teresa J Bray Deputy Secretary

Shantel Krebs, Secretary of State